

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : **CRIMINAL NO.** 20CR231 PBT
v. : **DATE FILED:**
JOSEPH LAFORTE : **VIOLATION:**
: 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1) (felon in possession
: of a firearm – 1 count)
: **Notice of forfeiture**

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

On or about July 28, 2020, in Haverford, Pennsylvania, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

JOSEPH LAFORTE,

knowing that he had previously been convicted in courts of the State of New York and the United States District Court of crimes punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, at least one of the following: (1) a Beretta, Pietro S.P.A., Model ES100, .12 caliber shotgun, bearing serial number E07531-98; (2) a Beretta, Pietro S.P.A., Model AL391 Urika, .12 caliber shotgun, bearing serial number AA317345; (3) a Beretta, Pietro S.P.A., Model 84FS, .380 caliber handgun, bearing serial number H72038Y, loaded with 23 live rounds of .380 caliber ammunition; (4) a Smith & Wesson, Model M&P Bodyguard 380, .380 caliber handgun, bearing serial number KEM2420, loaded with 5 live rounds of .380 caliber ammunition; (5) a Smith & Wesson, Model M&P 380 Shield EZ, .380 caliber handgun, bearing serial number RDD0719, loaded with 8 live rounds of .380 caliber

ammunition; (6) a Smith & Wesson, Model M&P 15, .556 caliber rifle bearing serial number TK91955, loaded with 30 live rounds of .556 caliber ammunition; (7) and a Smith & Wesson, Model 19, .357 caliber handgun bearing serial number 52K2904, loaded with 6 live rounds of .357 caliber ammunition; and the firearms were in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

As a result of the violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1), set forth in this indictment, defendant

JOSEPH LAFORTE,

shall forfeit to the United States of America, the firearms and ammunition involved in the commission of this offense, including, but not limited to:

- (1) a Beretta, Pietro S.P.A., Model ES100, .12 caliber shotgun, bearing serial number E07531-98;
- (2) a Beretta, Pietro S.P.A., Model AL391 Urika, .12 caliber shotgun, bearing serial number AA317345;
- (3) a Beretta, Pietro S.P.A., Model 84FS, .380 caliber handgun, bearing serial number H72038Y;
- (4) 23 live rounds of .380 caliber ammunition;
- (5) a Smith & Wesson, Model M&P Bodyguard 380, .380 caliber handgun, bearing serial number KEM2420;
- (6) 5 live rounds of .380 caliber ammunition;
- (7) a Smith & Wesson, Model M&P 380 Shield EZ, .380 caliber handgun, bearing serial number RDD0719;
- (8) 8 live rounds of .380 caliber ammunition;
- (9) a Smith & Wesson, Model M&P 15, .556 caliber rifle bearing serial number TK91955;
- (10) 30 live rounds of .556 caliber ammunition;
- (11) a Smith & Wesson, Model 19, .357 caliber handgun bearing serial number 52K2904; and

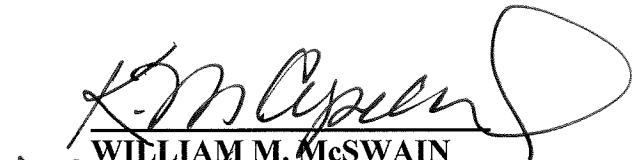
(12) 6 live rounds of .357 caliber ammunition.

All pursuant to Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), and Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d).

A TRUE BILL:

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FOREPERSON

A handwritten signature of William M. McSwain.

WILLIAM M. MCSWAIN
United States Attorney

No. _____

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Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Criminal Division

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Counts

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A true bill.

Foreman

Filed in open court this _____ day,
Of _____ A.D. 20_____

Clerk

Bail, \$ _____